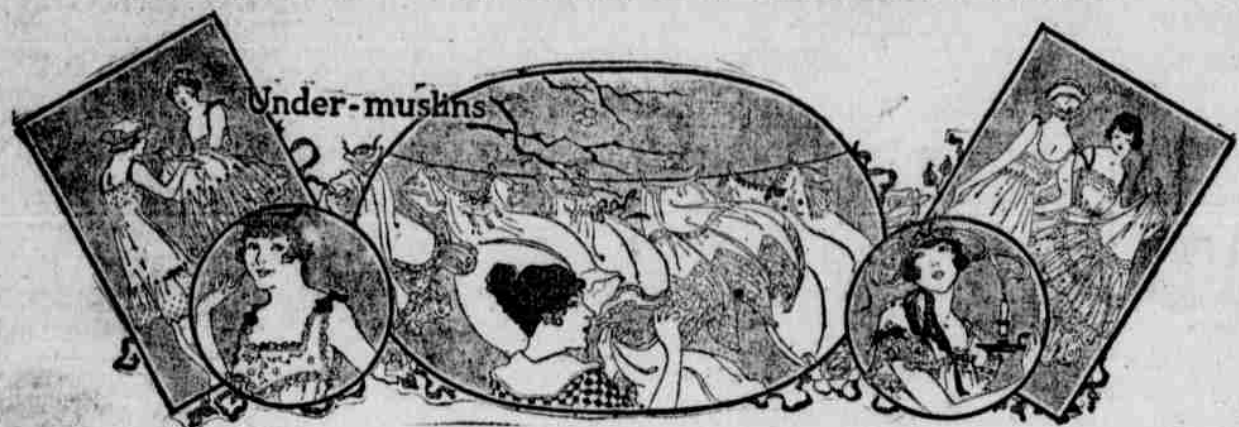


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Daintiness is perhaps the most used word for Dove Undermuslins and our present stocks are the most beautiful garments we have ever seen in this line. Prices are on a very satisfactory basis. Just come and see for yourself.

## The Homer Fitts Company

### WATERBURY

News of the enlistment of Howard, the son of Rev. and Mrs. Frederick B. Kellogg, now of Worcester, Mass., has been received. He will leave for France for work in the ambulance corps.

The Pierians had a most interesting annual meeting at the home of Mrs. F. C. Lamb Friday afternoon. These officers for the year ensuing were elected: President, W. B. Clark; vice-president, Mrs. O. L. Ayers; recording secretary, Mrs. A. H. Smith; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Nelson Vassar; treasurer, Mrs. Edna Foster; directors, Mrs. F. C. Lamb, Mrs. Eleanor Boyce, Mrs. James Hattie.

At the annual meeting of Queen Esther at the annual meeting of Queen Esther officers were elected: W. P. W. B. Clark; W. M., Mrs. Marion Clark; A. M., Mrs. Annie Gilbert; secretary, Mrs. Bertha Campbell; treasurer, Mrs. Eleanor Boyce; conductress, Mrs. Margaret Knowles; associate conductress, Mrs. Lamb. The appointive officers are: Adah, Mrs. Glenn Atkins; Ruth, Mrs. Margaret Perry; Esther, Mrs. Foster; Martha, Mrs. Eva Foster; Electa, Mrs. Nellie Morse; chaplain, Mrs. Alice Smith; warden, Mrs. Carpenter; sentinel, A. H. Smith; pianist, Miss Lena Wallace.

Wednesday evening in the Congregational church, the Pierian and Hypatia clubs will hold a public meeting in the interests of the baby week campaign. Dr. Ladd of Burlington will be the speaker. Rev. William L. Boicourt will show through the reflectoscope the baby pictures of many of the club members. The musical numbers will consist of organ and piano duets by Mrs. D. W. Cooley and Mrs. W. L. Boicourt; a cornet solo by Merton Holmes, and vocal solos by Mrs. F. C. Lamb and E. W. Magnus. Tea will be served and a social time enjoyed. It is hoped that many may avail themselves of the pleasure and profit to be derived from attending this meeting.

Mrs. McAuliffe of Burlington arrived Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Crossey of Detroit, Mich., came Sunday noon to the Dillon home.

### PROMINENT VERGENNES WOMAN.

Mrs. Charles E. Parker Died Suddenly on Sunday.

Vergennes, April 30.—Mrs. Agnes (Ripley) Parker, wife of Captain Charles E. Parker, and a long-time prominent resident of this city, died very suddenly at an early hour Sunday morning from a stroke of apoplexy. She was 73 years old.

Mrs. Parker was born in Rutland, the daughter of W. Y. and Jane (Warren) Ripley. She was a sister of the late famous General W. Y. W. and E. H. Ripley, and Charles Ripley of Rutland and Mrs. Julia C. R. Dorr, the noted Vermont poetess. Mrs. Parker was educated at Troy Conference academy and at Ripley Female college in Poughkeepsie. She was married to Charles E. Parker of this city in 1866. Mrs. Parker was a prominent member of St. Paul's Episcopal church, a member of the Woman's auxiliary and of the board of missions. She was also an active member of the Village Improvement society.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Parker is survived by an adopted daughter, Mrs. Grace Agnes Webb of Worcester, Mass., two nieces, Mrs. H. R. Dorr of Williams-town, Mass., and Mrs. J. C. Pease of New York, and a nephew, Thomas Ripley, of Chicago.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

See those new fancy silk skirts at Fitts'.

Arthur Blake of East Corinth was a business visitor in the city Saturday. Van Carpenter of East Brookfield was a business visitor in the city Saturday. James H. Clark and Frank Stone of Hardwick were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Attend the ball and concert Tuesday and help along a good cause, the American Red Cross—adv. Arthur Washburn of Brookfield was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Ladd of Franklin street over the week end.

Miss Agnes Rae of Beacon street returned to her home to-day, after visiting friends in East Montpelier during the past few days.

Through the Goddard employment bureau, John Morrison of Laurel street has secured a position in the office of the Barre & Chelsea railroad.

Miss Gertrude Clark, who has been employed as cashier at the Red Cross Pharmacy during the past two years, has completed her duties there.

Loren J. Bell, together with his wife and children, left yesterday for East Montpelier, where Mr. Bell will be employed on the farm of his father during the summer months.

Miss Helen Brown of North Main street left Saturday evening for White River Junction, where she will spend two weeks visiting at the home of her sister, Miss Marjorie Brown.

Alton R. Briggs of Park street visited relatives in Randolph over the week end. Mrs. Briggs and two children, who have been making a short sojourn with friends and relatives there, accompanied him home.

Grover Caven, who has been visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Elsie Caven of Mount street, during the past week, returned yesterday to New Haven, Conn., where he is employed at the Winchester Repeating Arms Co.

A deal was recently made through the D. A. Perry Real Estate agency, whereby the house, barn and three acres of land owned by Mrs. Emily Colby on Elm street extension, was sold to Charles J. Pillsbury and wife of 98 Washington street. Mr. Pillsbury buys the place for a home and will take possession within a short time. Mrs. Colby sells the property on account of ill health.

County Agent F. H. Abbott of the Washington county farm bureau returned to this city Saturday evening, after attending a good rally at Waterbury. There were several prominent speakers from different sections of the state who gave talks on the present food situation in the country, among the speakers being Dean J. L. Hills of the University of Vermont, Burlington, John W. Gordon of Barre, and County Agent F. H. Abbott. C. B. Adams of Waterbury was the chairman of the meeting.

At the outset, a Waterbury Home Production association was organized, with C. B. Adams elected as its president. A fund was furnished by the Waterbury Savings Bank & Trust Co., amounting to \$200, from which children and older people who have not money enough to buy the seeds to start a garden may borrow up to \$10, the money to be repaid after the coming harvest.

The speakers gave a few interesting remarks on the food situation. Prof. Hills made the statement that figures show that the waste which the women of the country make during the year amounts to \$1,600,000,000, or \$10 to every man, woman and child.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Nemo week at Abbott's.

New children's hats at Fitts'. Concert, 8 to 9, Tuesday, May 1, Howland hall, the Estabrook orchestra—adv. Edward Jangraw returned last evening from a visit of a few days with relatives in Essex Junction.

The best choice of suzanne and tussah silk and striped voiles at The Little Dry Goods Store, Cottage street.

Mrs. Catherine Bennett of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. N. Grainger, of Merchant street.

William Courtney in "The Romantic Journey," a five-reel Gold Rooster feature, at the Bijou to-day—adv. "Better baby" pictures will be shown at the Park theatre Tuesday afternoon under the auspices of the Woman's club.

Troup's studio is ready to take on portrait and commercial work and do printing and developing for amateurs. Tel. 289-M.—adv.

Among the Waterbury shoppers in the city Saturday were Miss Marjorie Cullen, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Grout and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bailey.

Members of the junior choir of St. Monica's church will hold their annual social at the convent Tuesday afternoon from 4:30 to 6:15 o'clock.

You can be perfectly and comfortably fitted from one of the many models we show in our corset department, \$1 to \$6.50. Mrs. Shepard Co., Inc.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Vaughan of Maple Grove have gone to Burlington, where the former is in charge of a department in a dry goods store.

Farmers and granite cutters, among others, of Barre and vicinity were well represented at the agricultural mass meeting in Montpelier Saturday.

James K. Pirie of Williamstown passed through the city Saturday while on his way to Marshfield, where he has reopened his summer camp on Nigawad pond.

Dennis Skowietz of Bellevue Falls, who has been visiting Nicholas Chres-santhos of Jefferson street and Theodore Skowietz of Montpelier during the past few days, returned to his home to-day.

The ladies of the hospital aid are requested by the sewing committee to attend a sewing meeting which will be held at the hospital Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A large attendance is desired.

Harry E. Jeffords, a North Main street painter, who has been a patient in the City hospital for several weeks as the result of a leg fracture, was able to be out of doors to-day. Mr. Jeffords is rapidly regaining his health and expects to be able to resume charge of his painting business within a short time.

Miss Adele Bianchi, who has been employed as a bookkeeper by the C. Bianchi & Sons granite firm of West Second street during the past few years, has completed her duties there and left last evening for Buffalo, N. Y., where she has accepted a position as stenographer at the company's office at Buffalo.

A Huron automobile, driven by Victor Anderson of Warren street struck a telephone pole near the residence of Don Camp in South Barre yesterday afternoon, breaking the pole a little above the ground. The car is said to have been driven at a fast clip, but quick action on the part of the driver prevented any serious damage, the car escaping with only a bent mudguard and the four passengers not being injured in the least.

Second class licensees, whose dispensations vanish with the enforcement of Vermont's wartime prohibition measure to-morrow morning, were busy with rummage sales to-day, although the height of the drive on their establishments was reached Saturday. With only a busy Monday to go and come on many chose Saturday as their day for getting under the wire and a watchful citizen observed that every fifth person carried a package after 1 o'clock in the afternoon. To-day some of the bottle license holders expected, by grace of seventh class licensees, to retain the tenancy of their establishments, although others were getting ready to evacuate.

EXTRA CHARGE FOR POTATOES.

St. Johnsbury Restaurants March Along with Prices.

St. Johnsbury, April 30.—Diners at restaurants in St. Johnsbury yesterday realized the scarcity of potatoes when they were put on the menus as a special at 10 cents extra. Yesterday was the first day that they had not been included in the regular bill of fare. There are few stores in town where they can be had and then only a peek to a customer. They are selling for 85 and 90 cents a peek.

## BARRE DAILY TIMES

MONDAY, APRIL 30, 1917.

### The Weather

Unsettled; probably showers to-night and Tuesday. Moderate variable winds.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

New fancy bags at Fitts'. See our brassieres, 50c to \$1.50. Mrs. Shepard Co., Inc.

Big discount on stamped and package goods for a few days. Mrs. Beattie. Concert and ball, Tuesday, May 1, Howland hall, the Estabrook orchestra—adv.

The Purple Consulate will meet with Mrs. Nellie Bianchi at 17 Cottage street Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Lyndol Lebourveau, who is employed in Mineville, N. Y., is passing a few days at his former home in Barre.

Giovanni Fiodella left Saturday for Brandon, where he is passing a week with several of his countrymen.

Mrs. Harry Quinn of South Main street left yesterday for northern Ontario, having been summoned by the death of her brother.

Miss Julia Bizzozero returned to her place of employment in Waterbury last night, after passing the week end at her home on Second street.

Alexander Riddle of Graniteville was a visitor in the city to-day while on his way home from Fort Ethan Allen, where he passed the week end with friends.

Fred Blanchard, who was called to South Barre by the illness and death of his mother, Mrs. Louise E. Blanchard, returned last night to his home in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Farrell of Enosburg Falls arrived in the city Saturday evening, having been called here by the death of James J. Goodwin of Merchant street.

Miss Elizabeth Winchester of Waterbury, who has been visiting relatives in Williamstown over the week end, was a visitor in the city this morning while en route home.

John Morrison, who has been working for the Vermont Marble Co. in Proctor, arrived in the city yesterday and expects to remain in this vicinity, having secured employment in Montpelier.

Stoddard B. Bates of Derby, state highway commissioner, was a visitor at Hotel Barre through the week end. He was accompanied to this city by A. B. Coleigh of Derby and A. H. Gates of Franklin.

Fred Davison, who has been absent from Barre for a year, was detained at police headquarters Saturday until the arrival of Deputy Sheriff Henry Lawson of Montpelier, who arrested the man on a civil complaint. In lieu of bail, the respondent was lodged in the county jail.

The complaining witness is Miss Violet Goodenough of Montpelier.

Two respondents arraigned on intoxication charges in city court this morning represented the ingathering of the police during the week end. Rodney McDonald of Hartford, Conn., listed as an habitual drunkard, acknowledged a subsequent offense and expected to pay the \$15 fine and costs assessed him. Oakley E. May of Granville paid the minimum fine and costs for the first offense.

Kenneth H. Gale of Wellington street left the city Saturday night for Boston, where he will remain for a few days to participate in the concerts to be given by a band of 500 musicians under the direction of John P. Sousa. Mr. Gale expected to arrive in the Hub for the first rehearsal Sunday forenoon at 10 o'clock. Previous to his departure he received an assignment to the trombone section in the band.

Among the guests arriving at Hotel Barre through the week end were the following people: Stoddard B. Bates of Derby, A. H. Gates of Franklin, A. B. Coleigh of Derby, Thomas G. Gaul and F. E. Colburn of Burlington, F. B. Braun of Essex Junction, M. J. Kelleher of Springfield, Charles B. Adams of Waterbury, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Langford of Littleton, N. H., Earle S. Brown of St. Johnsbury, Arthur Derby of Salem, Mass.

To-morrow early arrivals for the triennial convention of Vermont Woodmen will begin to arrive in Barre and when the opening session convenes in the Knights of Columbus hall in the evening it is expected that the convention strength of nearly 50 delegates will be present. The local committee, representing Granite City camp, has completed careful plans for the reception of visitors and in conjunction with the Board of Trade, which is to provide a sightseeing trip to the quarries Wednesday it is in a position to guarantee the guests a warm welcome and an enjoyable stay in Barre.

Barre residents of Syrian and Armenian extraction are viewing with mingled emotions the entry of the United States into the world war and while their allegiance to Uncle Sam will stand almost any test of patriotism, their status as citizens, in the event of enlistment, seems to be in doubt. Not all of them are citizens, in fact a majority have not taken out first papers of naturalization, and aliens their attitude presents a difficult problem. Many of them are subjects of Turkey, a nation with which the United States is not at war. Inasmuch as they are not American citizens they might not be able to fight under the American flag and for them to go to the battle front under a Turkish flag would present the odd circumstance of subjects of a German ally serving with the enemy.

Locally it seems as if Syrians are anxious and ready to fight Turkey in retaliation for her atrocities against the Syrians and Armenians.

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## Union Dry Goods Company THIS WEEK

### Special Values in Our Garment Department

and featuring the newest style ideas in smart and exclusive ready-to-wear. You will find here exactly what you want in a Suit or Coat, the best values and the best selection.

OUR WOMEN'S SUITS offer a large choice as well as beauty of style and quality, and you will find our prices quite a little less.

Pretty new styles at .....\$15.00  
Snappy new models at ..... 19.50  
A special assortment at ..... 22.50  
New Sample Suits at ..... 25.00

COATS OF STYLE AND QUALITY—The new Coats in Misses' and Ladies' sizes are very stylish, and a large variety to choose from in the new and fashionable colors.

2 special lots at .....\$10.00, \$13.50  
New models at .....\$16.50, \$19.50  
Stunning new styles at ..... 22.50

### Waist Special, \$1.00

25 dozen new Lingerie Waists just received, all in very attractive styles and extraordinary values. A full line of sizes from 36 to 46.

### Waist Special, \$3.50

Many new styles just arrived in good quality Crepe de Chine, etc. Black, White, Flesh, and the popular new shades.

### Middy Blouses

A splendid assortment of the new styles in Middies for ladies and children. Priced from 50c to \$1.50

### Monday Evening Special, 6 to 8 O'clock

## A Sale of Curtain Scrims at 19c Yd.

Five hundred yards of Curtain Scrim will be on sale this evening, all new goods, in White, Cream and Ecru, and regularly worth 25c to 29c per yard. Shop early—store closes at 8 o'clock.

## THE UNION DRY GOODS COMPANY



## A Hat With a Policy

In consideration of \$3.00, the price of this Hat, we insure it to be perfect in manufacture and to give satisfaction in every respect, providing it is not misused; and we replace the same with a new Hat for one which has not given satisfaction. We leave it to your sense of fairness. You will find all the newest shapes and colors here.

We are showing the newest fabrics and latest models in Men's and Young Men's Suits, in a range of prices that cannot be equalled in the city.

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Barre, Vermont

### TALK OF THE TOWN

New white net dresses for graduation at Fitts'.

George McKenzie left yesterday for Groton, where he has employment as a granite cutter.

Miss Ruth W. Glysson, a student at the University of Vermont, passed the week end at the home of her parents, Mayor and Mrs. E. C. Glysson of Perry street.

Mrs. James Flynn of Moretown and William Goodwin of Waterbury, who were called to Barre by the death of their brother, James J. Goodwin, have returned to their homes.

The senior and junior members of the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin of St. Monica's church and all others taking part in the May procession are requested to meet at the church Tuesday evening at 6:15 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

The special city council committee appointed to confer on traction matters will meet representatives of the Montpelier council and the Berlin selectmen at the capital Thursday evening to consider a tentative franchise under which the railroad may operate through the three communities.

After a long tenancy of quarters on the third floor of the Nichols block, the carpenters and joiners' union are transferring their effects to a hall in the Worthen block, where the regular and special meetings will be held hereafter.

To-day F. G. Rogers and his crew of heavy lifters transferred the safe in which the records of the local are kept. The safe weighs nearly 3,000 pounds, but little difficulty was encountered in moving it from one building to the other.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY  
TO RENT—Watson place, furnished, for the season; easy auto ride from Barre; 12 large rooms, use of lawn, large garden and driveway; \$10 month; write to Alberta Fellows, West Topsham, Vt. 296P

TO RENT—An 8-room house with large garden, some fruit and barn for home; 2 1/2 miles from Barre City; just the place for a granite cutter who wants to live outside; tel. 287-22. 297P

WANTED—Kitchen man at Waterbury Inn, Waterbury, Vt. 297P

FOR SALE—Oak dining room table and chairs; call at 12 Wellington street. 297P

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE  
ESTATE OF MARY J. BLAKE  
The undersigned, being appointed by the Honorable Probate Court for the District of Washington, commissioners, to receive, examine, and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Mary J. Blake, late of Barre City, in said district, deceased, and all claims exhibited in effect thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the home of Willis A. Lane, in the city of Barre, on the 14th day of May and 24th day of October next, from 10 o'clock a. m. until 3 o'clock p. m., on each of said days, and that six months from the 24th day of April, A. D. 1917, is the time limited by said Court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated at Barre City, this 25th day of April, A. D. 1917.  
GRANT A. LANE,  
ADOLPH B. LANE,  
Commissioners.

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